

CASE HU/1-23040/A/PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF  
WERNER BASCHONG  
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. **PCT/EP 2005/051325**

Group Art Unit:

Examiner:

FILED: **March 23, 2005**

FOR: USE OF BENZOPHENONE UV FILTERS

FOR PREVENTING TANNING

U.S. APPLICATION NO: **not yet assigned**

35 USC 371 DATE:

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Applicant respectfully submits the present Preliminary Amendment to place the instant claims in better condition for examination on their merits.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.